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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
Yusuke ISHIDA) Examiner: Sophia S. Chen
Application No.: 10/790,838) Group Art Unit: 2852
Filed: March 3, 2004) Confirmation No.: 2505
For: IMAGE FORMING APPARATUS) October 21, 2005

Mail Stop Amendment

Commissioner for Patents
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SUBMISSION OF CORRECTED SHEETS OF THE DRAWINGS

Sir:

Applicant is in receipt of an Official Action, dated September 21, 2005, in the above-identified application. A Response to the Official Action is due on December 21, 2005, and is being filed concurrently herewith.

Enclosed are two (2) replacement sheets of corrected formal drawings to be substituted for the corresponding sheet presently on file in the application. In the replacement sheets, reference numeral "2" located next to reference numeral "3a" has been amended to reference numeral --3--, and reference character "D" has been changed to --DP-- in Figures 1 and 2 to overcome objections set forth in the Official Action.

It is respectfully submitted that no new matter has been added.